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NEWS RELEASE**



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**PORT MOLLER COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT # 7
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BEAR RIVER, PORT MOLLER BIGHT, ILNIK AND THREE HILLS SECTIONS

The commercial salmon fishing season in that portion of the Bear River Section located northeast from a line at a 280° bearing perpendicular to the beach at the southern 1,000 yard regulatory marker at Bear River to Cape Seniavin will remain closed to commercial salmon fishing until further notice. That portion of the Bear River Section located southwest from a line at a 280° bearing perpendicular to the beach at the southern 1,000 yard regulatory marker at Bear River will open to commercial salmon fishing from 6:00 a.m. Monday, July 2 until 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 4. The Port Moller Bight and Ilnik sections will open to commercial salmon fishing from 6 a.m. Monday, July 2 until 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 4. The Three Hills Section will remain closed to commercial salmon fishing as per previous News Release.

Statistical charts and harvest strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller Fish and Game offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at:

<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareaakpeninsula.salmon>

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channel 72 daily at 9:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Port Moller at 375-2716.

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